




Equestrians in the Parks. Then and now...

Horseback riding has been a popular outdoor activity in the parklands since the East Bay Regional Park District's inception. Roberts Regional Recreation Area had a childrens' pony ride in the 1950s (inset). Today, with its surrounding privately run stables, Diablo Foothills Regional Park in Walnut Creek is a favorite among equestrians, who love to stray into the adjacent Mount Diablo State Park.

March 2009

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| <p>1</p> <p><i>Park'n It</i> DAY CAMP</p> <p>Registration opens for Park'n It Day Camp</p> | <p>2</p> | <p>3</p> | <p>4</p> | <p>5</p> | <p>6</p> | <p>7</p> <p>Quail Rangers Volunteer Project at Contra Loma</p> <p>Black Diamond Mines Open House</p> |
| <p>8</p> <p>Black Diamond Mines Open House</p> <p>Daylight Saving Time Begins (set clocks ahead one hour)</p> | <p>9</p> | <p>10</p> | <p>11</p> | <p>12</p> | <p>13</p> | <p>14</p> |
| <p>15</p> | <p>16</p> | <p>17</p> <p>St. Patrick's Day</p> | <p>18</p> | <p>19</p> <p><i>Photo: Eric Nicholas</i></p>  <p><i>First Day of Spring</i></p> | <p>20</p> | <p>21</p> <p>Quail Rangers Volunteer Project at Contra Loma</p> |
|  <p>22</p> <p>Trails Challenge: Bike 'n Bird Watch at Crown Beach</p> <p><i>Photo: Eric Nicholas</i></p> | <p>23</p> | <p>24</p> | <p>25</p> | <p>26</p> | <p>27</p> | <p>28</p> <p>Earth Hour (Turn off light for an hour at 8 PM)</p> |
| <p>29</p> | <p>30</p> | <p>31</p> |  <p>Whale Watching Season.</p> | | | |